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Business Notices.

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Intimations.

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HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

for the Short Range Handicap CUP and

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All Smooting MEMBERS are requested to

attend as the Scores made will be taken

into consideration, by the Committee, when

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THE JELEBU MINING & TRADING

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DIVIDEND of 5 % for the Half-year

closing 9th February, 1891, having

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Singapore, 30th April, 1891.

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Hongkong, May 12, 1891.

Team is being chosen to represent the

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How. Secretary.

Continental languages are spoken.

&o., &c., &c.

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THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING Co., LIMITED, Proprietors.

POWELL & Co.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1891.

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W. POWELL & Co.

Hotel.

50 BEDROOMS

Intimations. A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Or-dinary General MEETING of the Company will be held at the Honokone DISPENSABLY on THURSDAY, the 14th Inst., at Three p'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Manager, together with a Statement of Account to the 31st Decom

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CEOSED from Mowday, the 11th Instant, till Sarurday, the 16th Instant, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

the Shares in the original Capital of the keng and to Sign the Firm per producation.

Company, in such manner on such terms,

CEO B DODWELL) and at such premium as he shall in the in-

T. H. TALBOT,

Secretary. Hongkong, May 5, 1891.

WHIT MONDAY AND TUESDAY, May 18th and 19th.

A ITALIAN CONVENT on Behalf of the Poor of that Establishment. Objects, Useful and Crommental, for Ladies, GENTLEMEN and CHILDREN. The BAZAAR will Open at 10 o'Clock in

the Forencon. Hongkong, May 12, 1891.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government. CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c. has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horals in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Fer East. respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS: if sout to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary. Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of disantigfaction. D. GILLIES.

Hongkont, August 25, 1885

THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE · LIMITED.

the CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE LIMITED, will be held at the Company's OFFICE, situate in Peddor's Street, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on THURS. DAY, the 21st day of May, 1891, at Twelve

o'Clock (noon), when the subjoined Resolution will be proposed :-RESOLUTION. That Clause No. 121 be struck out and expunged from the Articles of Association of this Company, and do cease to form portion of the Articles of this Company from the 5th day of June, 1891, and that the following Clause be substituted instead thereof and do form portion of the Articles of Association of the Company from the last mentioned day and be numbered 121.

121. After payment of the interest men-tioned in the immediately preceding Article, the General Agents may, with the sanction of the Consulting Committee, from time to time out of the annual profits of the Company add to the Reserve Fund (which now amounts to \$500,000) such a sum as they shall think fit, and may, with such sanction as aforesaid, from time to time pay the whole or any part of the annual interest of the Reserve Fund to such persons as shall, on a date to be annually determined on by the General Agents, with such sanction a aforessid, be Shareholders, such persons to be entitled to participate in such last mentioned interest rateably and in proportion to the number of shares held by them respectively. If, after payment of the interest mentioned in the immediately preceding Article and of the additions (if any) to the Reserve Fund by this Article authorized to be made, there shall remain any undisposed of annual profits, then and in that even the General Agents may, with such sanction as aforesaid, from time to time pay the same by way of bonus to Contributories (whether Shareholders or not) of premia, and in shoh proportions as the General Agents with such sanction as aforesaid shall determine, and if after all such payments as aforesaid, there shall still remain any undisposed of annual profits, then and in that event the General Agents may from time to time pay or apply the same in such manner as they with such sanction as aforesaid shall think heat in the interests of the Company.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1891.

General Agente, 881 CARTON INSUBANCE OFFICE, LIMITED

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths, NTAUTICAL SUIENTIFIC AND. N METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS:

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For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co., General Managers.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. The Company's Steamer Captain J. Fowler, will be despatched for the

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG.

NAGASAKI. The Steamship

patched on FRIDAY, the 15th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.

SAKI AND KOBE (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Verone

Verona. Captain F. H. SEYMOUR. will leave for the above places on SATUR-DAY, the 16th May, at Daylight. E. L. WOODIN.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, May 5, 1891.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

estant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

Calling at SANDAKAN, TIMOR, PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS: and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, Co.) The Steamship

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RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 8, 1891.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CUMPANY,

FOR SHANGHAI (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates

CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE. The Co.'s Steamship Polyphemics.

Captain Les, will be despatched as above on ATURDAY, the 16th. For Freight or Passage, apply to

YOKOHAMA. Via Inland Sea.) The Steamship

despatched as above on DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 11, 1891.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 8/3 L.1.1, Amer. Barque BURNHAM, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Breight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hougkong, April 21, 1891.

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THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW, THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN.

LONDON OFFICE,

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, 28th April, 1891.

NOTICE

will be CLOSED from the 21rd to the 30th Instant. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, May 12, 1891. RONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB

THE WEIGHTS for the above RACE will be weight for inches, not 10st, 10b, as heretofore. E. H. GORE-BOOTH,

Hongkong, March 17, 1891

eye can reach, surrounded by extensive promenades and pleasure grounds, including three good Tennis Courts. The Mount Promenade alone is nearly an acre in extent, and the Flagstaff in its centre can

modation for Families and Gentlemen. will be assisted by an Efficient Lady Steff, and the Hotel will be conducted upon the best English system. The accommodation comprises a spacious Dining Hall, Private ing, Grill, Billiard, and Private Sitting Rooms, with Fifty-four Bedrooms each provided with separate Bath-room and

Tramusy Tickets will be supplied to Stock of Visitors at Reduced Rates. The HOTEL will OPEN on or about the QUEEN'S BERTHDAY. For Terms apply to the SECRETARY, at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

STAG HOTEL QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGRONG. MHIS HOTEL, situated in the most Central part of Hongkong has recently been REFITTED and has Excellent Ac-

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CHARGES MODERATE. HING LEE & Co. Proprietors. Hongkong, April 16, 1891.

Intimations.

STEAMSHIPS will loave YOKOHAMA for HONOLULU (direct), as under :-MIIKI MARU. . . 15th May. YAMASHIRO MARU, . 1st June. MIIKI MARU, . . . 27th July. Through Bitts of Lading will be granted from Hongkong. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier

For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 6, 1891.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED,

Notice is hereby given that a NEW CER-TIFICATE for the said 25 Snakes will be ISSUED Fourteen Days hence, and that the Original Certificate, unless produced within that period, will thereafter be held

D. GILLIES. Secretary.

Hongkong, May 4, 1891.



- Sole Agent,

JOHN D. BUTCHISON.

by the Company as null and void,



MAC'S AINE CPROTAL BLEND OF FINEST OLD VATTED SCOTCH WHISKY, Of unsurpassed body and exquisite and highly refined flavour.

Hongkong, October 30, 1890.

TR. JOHN GRANT will TAKE CHARGE of this Augnoy, during my Absence from the Colony.

Hongkong, May 8, 1891.

Uongkopg, May 7, 1891.

VED To-day by Mutual Consent,

nug, April 14, 1891.

Queen's Road

14th April, 1891.

NOTIOE.

GEO. B. DODWELL Shanghai.

NOTICE.

HE PARTNERSDIP between HOLMES

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned will CARRY ON BUSI-

L NESS at his OFFICE, No. 54

Shipping.

Steamers.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

TEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND

NAGASAKI.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

The Co.'s Steamship

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AGENOY

MITSU BISHI COLLIERIES.

A MARSHALL,

Special Representative.

GUION STEAMSHIP Co., LTD.

H. U. JEFFRIES. Hongkong, April 23, 1891. NOTICE. ESSRS. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. are This Day appointed AGENT for the GUION STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED, in Hongkong, China and Japan.

And Notice is further given, that an EX TRAORDINARY General MEETING of the Company will be held at the same place on the same day at the conclusion of the above named Meeting, when the following Special Resolution will be proposed :---"That with a view to the further extension of the business of the Company in London and elsewhere, the Capital of the Com- | THE Undersigned have This Day ESTAincreased to the sum of Six | I BLISHED themselves at London, Hundred Thousand Dellars by the issue of SHANGHAL, HONGKONG, KOBE, and YOKO-10,000 New Shares of the value of Ten | HAMA as Commission Merchants and Ship-Dollars each, and that such New Shares be ping Agents, trading under the name of issued by the General Manager at such DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., and have time or times as he shall think fit, and be authorised Mr. EDMUND SINGLETON

For Freight or Possage, apply to disposed of by him as if they were part of WHEALLER to represent them in Hong-

terest of the Company determine. The amount realized by way of premium to be put to Reserve Funds." By Order,

GRAND BAZAAR will be hold at the

SOTICE.

Secratary.

Hongkong, May 11, 1891. ORDINARY General MEETING of

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

VOIGILANDER'S CELEBRATED RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPAGES.

DIAMONDS - AMD -

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAL The Co.'s Steamship Stuttgart. Captain v. Schuckmann, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the

on or about the 16th Instant.

For further Particulars, apply to

outward German Mail. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, May 11, 1891. FOR NEW YORK. The Steamship

Captain Hoon, will be or about the 20th Instant. For Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 11, 1801. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG,

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Having connection with Company's Mail

Steamer to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. TRIESTE, VENICE & FIUME. The Co.'s Steamship-Capt. G. Costonzo, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 21st Inst., at Noon, taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, BLACK - SEA, LEVANT AND ADRIATIC PORTS. Cargo will not be received on board after p.m. prior to date of sailing.

and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Houskong, May 5, 1891. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship

For further information as to Passage

Capt. Gurners, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 22nd Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, May 11, 1891.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

PANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON. The Co. o Steamship

Kaisow,

GEO. L. CASTLE, Commander, will be despatch

ed as above on or about the 22nd Instant. For Breight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH Notices of Firms.

Steamers.

LIMITED.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above

Hongkong, May 13, 1891.

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

Agents Hongkong, May 19, 1891.

FOR YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND Capt. J. C. WILLIAMSON, R. N. R. will be dea-

Hongkong, May 8, 1891. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-

Arrateon Aper,
Captain J. G. Spanes,
will be despatched for The Co,'s Steamship General Werder,
Captain Blanks, will
leave for the above Ports the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 16th

> DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, May 12, 1801.

LIMITED

Ports on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, May 11, 1891; FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND

Captain Duncan, will be the 19th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Sailing Vessels.

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Wine and Spirit Merchants,

AGESTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL LORDON F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's
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& Goron, Ludgate Circus, E.O. Batés
Hundy & Co., 37, Walbrook, K.C.
Sanuel Deacon & Co., 150 & 154,
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NOTICE. DULES OF THE HUNGKONG

SAVINGS BANK .-The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Slinghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10

2. Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. -Depositors in the Sayings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

wonted with each payment or with-Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. 6. - Correspondence as to the business of

their daily balances.

5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

with a Pass-Book which must be pre-

Hongiong and China. -Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass Book

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THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK

Hongkong, March 11, 1891

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Hongbeng, September 4, 1891. 1362

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Powerful and effective Non-poisonous and Non-corresive Disinfectant for use in Sick Rooms, for fumigating Clothing, Bed Linen, &c., and for general use as an agrecable indoor Disinfectant for Closets,

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Hongkong, May 7, 1891,

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Balls, Solid Blocks, and Powder.

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HONGKONG DERBY, 1892.

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NOTIOE THE CERTIFICATE of 25 SHARES in this Coy., numbered 11,224/11,248, standing in the Register in the Name of Mr. F. B. JOHNSON, having been LOST,



Price, \$10 per Case,

Hongkong, May 12, 1801.

Entertanments.

THEATRE, NORTH BARRACKS.

Under the Patronage of H. E. Major-GENERAL U. DIGEY IS EKER, CB., Commanding the Tropped China.

MILLITARY MUMMERS. TWO PERFORMANCES of J. PALGRAVE SIMPSON'S SENSATIONAL DRAMA. 'DADDY HARDACRE,' Followed by the Screening Force by

CHARLES SELBY. 'CATCHING AN HEIRESS.' TO-MORROW AND SATURDAY, the 14th and 10th May, 1891.

For further Particulars see Programme. Doors open at 8.30, Commence at 9 p.m.

Prices of Admission: Reserved Seats,.....\$1.00. FANS AND PUNKAUS PROVIDED

Tickets can be obtained from the Garrison Sergeaut Major, O mmissariat Build-

'GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.' NO SMOKING ALLOWED. Hougkong, May 13, 1891.

Notices to Consignees.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MONMOUTHSHIRE, FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowna of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, at Kowloon, whence and or from the wharves delivery may be ob-

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-MORROW. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowus, and all Goods

remaining undelivered after the 15th Inst. will be subject to rent, All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the lath Instant, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

He ugkor g, May 8, 1191. MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. TARTAR, FROM ROTTERDAM, ANTWERP, LIVERPOOL, AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby inormed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND Godown Cov., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-MORROW.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th Inst. will be subject to rent. "All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 15th Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 5, 1891. STEAMSHIP SAGHALIEN.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre ex Steamship Douro, and from Bordeaux ex Steamships Frederic Morel and Cambrai, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless Intimation is received from the Consignees before 1 p.m. To-DAY (Wednesday), the 6th Inst., requesting it to be landed here. the Undersigned.

Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS-DAY, the 14th Instant, at Noon, will be 19th Instant will be subject to rent. No subject to rent, and landing charges at one Fire Insurance has been effected. cent per packet per diem.

before Thursday, the 14th Instant, or they parture of the Steamer, otherwise they will will not be recognised. Damaged Packages not be entertained. will be examined on Thursday, the 14th Instant, at 3 p.m. No Firs Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, May 6, 1891. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Polyhymnia, Capt. L. VOLTMER, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter. Shipping, and other information. The signature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before at 4 p.m. To-DAY.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hong. KONG, KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., Land, and stored at Consignees' risk and

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods | special advantages to advertisers. remaining undelivered after the 14th Inst. will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods scribers, on their addresses being forwarded are to be left in the Godowns, where they to the Office. will be examined on the 14th Inst., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, May 8, 1891.

Notices to Consignees.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FROM ROTTERDAM, ANTWERP AND LUNDON.

THE 8.8. Glengarry, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowna of the Hongrove AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be outnined.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

16th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 23rd Instant, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, May 11, 1891.

UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

MHE Steamship Cambodia, Captain Wilbedoose, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby cested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature,

and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. The Steamer is berthed at Kowloon Piers and Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 16th Inst. or they will not be recognized.

RUSSELL & Co., Hongkeng, May 8, 1891.

To Let.

TO LET. June next, HOUSE No. 5, CHANCERY LANE, with 10 ROOMS and BATH ROOMS, Two separate Entrances.

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Rongkong, May 2, 1891. TO LET AT THE PEAK. (PARTLY FURNISHED).

DROCKHURST" a detached Resi-D dence situate upon Mount Gover, about seven minutes walk from Plantation Road Station and from which is obtained a magnificent view of the Harbour and out to Son. The HOUSE outsins DRAWING. DINI G ROOMS, TORE BED-ROOMS, DRYING and BATH-ROOMS, &c., and has a Tonnis Ground attached, which will be put in order at the Landlord's expense if the

house be taken for a year,

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. For further particulars apply to PALMER & TURNER, Architects, de. No. 5, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, April 11, 1891. 10-day's Advertisements.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM KOBE.

THE Steamship Guthrie. Captain SHAN-NON, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature. and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once lauded into the Kowloon Godowns and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be

presented to the Undersigned on or before the 20th Instant, or they will not be re-RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 13, 1891. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

11HE Steamship Japan having arrived I from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are reing landed at their risk into the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Gorows Company's Godowns, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

Consignees are also hereby informed, that All Claims must be sent in to me on or all Claims must be made before the de-

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agente.

Hongkong, May 13, 1891.

The Ovenland China Mail. WEEKLY JOURNAL FOR THE HOME WAIL,

TS PUBLISHED to suit the Departure of each English and French MAIL Steamer for Europe. It contains special Commercial intelligence, special tables of various Reports of Courts and Meetings. and all other news, are given in full as they appear in the Daily issue.

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To-day's Advertisements.

MR. BELLEW SATURDAY and WEDNESDAY, May 16th and 20th

Full Particulars in To-morrow's papers. Plan now open at Messis, KELLY & WALSE. Hongkong, May 13, 1891.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. PPLICATIONS for the Issue of PRE. A FERENTIAL SHARES in the above Company will CLOSE at 5 p.m., on FRI. 952 DAY, the 15 h May, 1891.

These Shares are now_offered to Shareholders in the proportion of One Preferential Share to each ordinary share held by them, and if not accepted within the time and date aforesaid, they will be deemed to be declined; and after the expiration of such time the said Shares will be dealt with by the Directors at their discretion; Preference in allotment being given to present Shareholders. A. O'D. GOURDIN,

Secretary. Hongkong, May 13, 1891.

BANK HOLIDAY.

N accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on MONDAY, the 18th Instant (WHIT MONDAY).

For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,' J. THORBURN Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Aus-

trulia and China T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-

ing Corporation, F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager. " For the 'New Oriental Bank Corporation,"

E. W. RUTTER Manager, Hongkong. 110GETHER or Subdivided, from 1st For the Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris.

> L. GLENAT. Acting Agent, Hongkong. Hongkong, May 13, 1891. NOTICE.

TATE have authorized Mr. BOMANJEE IJMJEEBHOY BATLIWALLA to Stan our Firm from this date.

N. MODY & Co. Hongkong, May 13, 1891. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY

LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Goddan, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 15th Instant, at

Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, May 13, 1891.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIT COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain G. TAYLER, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 16th Inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Houzkong, May 13, 1891.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

FOR HAIPHONG (DIRECT.) Captain ABBAL, will leave for the above Port The Co.'s Steamship For Freight or Passage, apply to

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, May 13, 1891.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA. LIMITED.

MANUFACTURERS.

W HOLESOME REFRESHING DRINK.

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A Veritable LEMON SQUASH, Aerated, Cooling, Thirst Quenching. Per doven, 50 Cents.

> Nos., 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

BHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. May 12, 1891 ._ Teriot, British steamer, 1,849, Waring, gale and high confused ses; and thence to Kobe May 1, and Moji 7, Coal,-Gins, LIVINGSTON & CO. Bokhara, British steamer, 1,696, H. T.

Weighell, Shanghai May 9, Mails and General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. May 13 :-Polyphemus, British ateamer, 1,813, Wm. Business Notices.

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EX RECENT ARRIVALS

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PONGEES. CORAHS.

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Destination	Vessels.	Ajents.	Date of Leaving.
London & Ports of Call London, v. Suez Cansi London Manila, vis Amoy Mirrie Ilos, v. Saigon New York New York S. Francisco, v. Japan S. Francisco, v. Japan S. Francisco, v. Japan S. Francisco, v. Japan Shanghai	Bokhara (s). Bellerophou (s). Kaisow (s). Diamante (s). Yangtae (s). Albany (s). Imperial CityofRiodeJaneiro(s). CityofRiodeJaneiro(s). Chaelic (s). St. James Polyphemus (s). Stuttgart (s). Moray (s). Arratoon Apcar (s). Chisbe (s). Fokien (s). Namos (s). Phra Chom Klao (s). Juthrie (s). Empress of Japan (s). Abysvinia (s). General Werder (s).	Norddeutscher Lloyd. Messageries Meritimes P. & O. S. N. Co. Butterfield & Swire. Arshold, Karberg & Co. Russell & Co. Messageries Maritimes Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Russell & Co. Pacific Mail S. S. Co. O. & O. S. S. Co. Butterfield & Swire Norddeutscher Lloyd. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Douglas Lapraik & Co. Douglas Lapraik & Co. Vuen Fat Hong. Russell & Co. Canadian P'fic R. Co. Canadian P'fic R. Co. Norddeutscher Lloyd. P. & O. S. N. Co.	May 17, at 8 a.m. May 14, at noon. May 22. About May 22. May 16, at 4 p.m. May 20, at noon. About May 20. Quick despatch. May 19, at 1 p.m. Quick despatch. May 16. Quick despatch. May 16. Quick despatch. May 16. Quick despatch. May 16. At noon. May 19. May 10, at noon. May 14, at noon. May 15, at noon. May 15, at noon. May 16, at 4 p.m. June 2, at noon. May 15. About May 15.

Lue, Liverpool March 26, and Singapore | Left Foochow on the 10th, and experienced May 6, General.—BUTTERVISED & SWIRE! Tai Yick, German steamer, 902, Emke, Saigon May 8, Rice. - MEYER & Co. Polluz, German str., 899, H. Hellmers,

Saigon May 8, Rice and Paddy. - MELOHERS weather; and from Swatow to port, light Japon, British steamer, 1,865, J. G. Foochow, Haeshin, Steamers in Amoy, Olifent, Calcutta April 26, Penang May 3,

Glenfruin, British steamer, 1,936, J Norman, Saigon May 9, Rice. - JARDINE MATHESON & Co. Delta, French steamer, 717, Abbal, Hai-

phone May 10, General, -MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. 28 days, 7 hours, 54 minutes. From Yoko-Guthrie, British steamer, 1,494, N. Shannon, Kobe-May 7, at 7 p.m., General. - above Turnabout to below Chapel Island. RUSSELL & Co.

Namon, British steamer, 863, Goddard, Foochow May 10, Amoy 11, and Swatow 12, General. - Douglas STEAMSHIP Co. Triumph, German steamer, 674, J. Bruhn, Pakhoi May 11, and Hoihow 12, General, -WILLER & Co.

City of Rio de Janeiro, American steamer, 3,548, Wm. Ward, San Francisco April 14 and Yakohama May 7, Mails and General. -P. M. S. S. Co. Don Juan, Spanish steamer, 654, D. R. 977 Beltran, Manila May 10, General. - Bran-

Teheran British steamer, 1,684, V. W Hall, Fombay April 25, and Singapore May 7, General. -P. & O. S. N. Co.

DEPARTURES. May 13 :-Tetartos, for Kutchinotzu. Glengarry, for Shanghai. Kong Beng, for Bungkok.

E ectra, for Singapore and Hamburg. CLEARED. Clara, for Haiphong. 979 Propontis for Singapore. Sury Wongse, for Hiogo.

> PASSENGERS. Per Bokhara, from Shanghai: for Hongkong. Mr and Mrs Bell-Irving and native servants, Mr and Mrs J. D Humphreys, Mr E. D. Humphreys, Capt. D. Barker. Mr and Mrs Brudlee Smith and child, Mr N. R. Antio, Messra Hough, A. E. Skeels, Maclean, Mr and Mrs Fukubara, Mr Ob Tak Loong and servant, Mr Haishi, and Chinese; for Bombay, Mr R. S. Raphael; for Sydney, Mr. J. H. Cooksedge ; for Lon-

> don, Mr W. R. Carles, infant and amah, Mesars J. G. Welle, J. Naylor, E. Gregory, Burns and J. F. Moore. Per Tai Yick, from Saigon, 50 Chinese. Per Polyphemus, from Liverppol, &c., Mr and Mrs Howman, Messrs McDonald, Harts and Chambers, 108 Chinese. Per Pollux, from Saigon, 17 Chinese.

Per Japan, from Calcutta, &c., Dr Gray, Mesars C. W. Dickson, C. J. Barnes, E. S. Graham and A. Laurie, 358 Chinese and ! Per Glenfruin, from Saigon, 15 Chinese, Per Delta, from Haiphong, 15 Chinese. Per Guthrie, from Kobe, Mesers Flaming, Stedeford, Hendren, Cupingham, Aitkon, Aitken Jun., and Kaeppel, Mr and Mrs

Per Namoa, from Coast Ports, Messrs Reuben, Vincent and Gannie, and 29 Chi-Per City of Rio de Janeiro, from San Francisco, Mrs J. P. Thornton, Mr R. H. Bruce, Dr W. E. S. Falds, Miss Nyrup Mesers C. F. Von Santen, Wm. Rhodes, M. Flattering and L. Anderson. Per Don Juan, from Manila, 4 Europeans,

Per Teheran, from Singapore, 126 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Glengarry, for Shanghai, 8 Chiuese. Per Kong Beng, for Bangkok, 20 Chinese Per Electra, for Singapore 120 Chinese.

and 96 Chinese.

To DEPART. Per Clara, for Haiphong, 2 Europeans, and 7 Chinese:

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Tai Yick reports : Had N.R. wind, with high sea. The British steamer Polyphemus reports : will be closed at 5 the day before. Fine weather, from Liverpool to Singapore; 8.00 A.M. Posting of Prices Current and had a hard gale near the Macclesfield Bank. Circulars cosses. The British steamer Japan reports: (Prices Current and Circulars may Left Singapore on the 6th instant, experi-enced light Northerly winds and fine wea-

9° 30' N. to latitude 13° N., strong S. W. arrival, light wind and fine weather. The British steamer Glenfruin reports : Had light N.E. winds and fine weather. The British steamer Guthrie reports Experienced light variable winds and thick foggy weather, from Goto Island to the Lammocks; thence fine till arrival as above. The British steamer Names reports :

ther, to Istitude 9" 36' N. From latitude

light South-Westerly breeze and fine; latter part, light Southerly breeze and foggy weather to Amoy. Left Amoy on the 11th, and Swatow on the 12th ; from Amoy to Swatow, light Southerly winds and foggy

Tameni, C.M. Chingtung. Cheang Hys Teng. and Singapore 6, General. - David Sas- Japanese str. Voritoro Maru, Numchow and Yunnan, Steamers in Swatow, Canton and Chingtung. The American steamer City of Rio de Janeiro reports : Left San Francisco April 14th, via Honolula 23rd, and Yokohama May 7th. Arrived at Hongkong May 13th at 3.50 p.m. Passage from San Francisco

Southerly winds and fine weather. Str. in

hama 6 days, 20 minutes. Thick fog from POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL-Per Fokien, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday. the 14th inst. For SANDAKAN, l'er H.M.S. Rattler, at o p.m., on Thurs-

day, the 14th inst. For SWATOW & BANGKOK ._ : * Per Phra Chom Klao, at 9.30 a.m., on Friday, the 15th inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA

Per Verena, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the For SANDAKAN, TIMOR, PORT DAR-WIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOK. TOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY & MEL application. BOURNE -

Per Guthrie, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the löth inat. For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .-Per Arratoon Apear, at 11.30 s.m., on Saturday, the 16th inst. For AMOY & MANILA.

Per Don Juan, at 2,30 p.m., on Saturday the 16th inst., instead of as previousi y notified. For AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

Per Guthric, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 16th inst. For HAIPHONG. Per Delta, at 5 p.m., on on Saturday,

the 16th inst. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. -British Contract Packet Bokhara will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 14th Inst., with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries be-youd, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and

Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET .-The United States Mail Packet City of Rlo de Janeiro will be despatched on TUES. DAY, the 19th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:—

0.15 P.M. Registry ceases. 0.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Pestage, until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. French Contract Packet Yangter will be despatched on WEDNESDAY. the 20th May, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places be-yond, vid Marssilles; to Saigon, Straits Hettlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pundichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office

The usual hours will be observed in

closing the Mails, &c.

10.00 a.M. - Registry coases.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping.

Noon .- Fokien loaves for Swatow, &com Noon. - English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Amusements.

9 p.m. -- Performance at the Garrison Theatre. Miscellaneous. Goods per Steamer Saghalien unelnimed

after Noon subject to rent. Goods per Polyhymnia undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, May 15:-5 p.m. - Applications for Preferential Shares in the Punjom & Sunghia Dua Samantan Mining Co., Ltd., close, Goods per Monmouthshire undelivered after this date subject to rent." Goods per Tarter undelivered after this - date subject to rent.

9 p.m .- Meating of Victoria Preceptory. SATURDAY, May 16:-3.1 . p.m. - Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association. Claims against the Cambodia must be sent in to Mesers Russell & Co., on or

before this date. Goods per Glenyarry undelivered after this date mibject to rent. Monday, May 18 :-Local Banks close.

10 a.m. Bazaar at the Italian Convo TURSDAY, May 19 :-Goods per Japan undelivered after this date subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, May 20 :-Claims against the Guthrie must be sent in to Mesars Russell & Co., on or before this date. THURSDAY, May 21:-Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The

the Company's Office, Pedder's Street SATURDAY, May 23:-Transfer Books of The Imnris Mines. Ltd., closed from this date to the 30th Instant.

Canton Insurance Office, Limited, at



BY APPOINTMENT. A. S. WATSON & COM. PANY, LIMITED.

KSTABLISHED A.D. 1, 1. MANUFACTURERS OF

AERATED WATERS. UR New Factory has been recently the alternative of six weeks imprisonment. relitted with automatic Steam Machinery of the latest and most approve moned before Mr Wise to-day on kind, and we are well able to compete in quality with the best English Makers. The complainant said his master accessed

The purest ingredients only are used

and the utmost care and cleanliness are him of stealing and best him, giving him a used in the manufacture throughout. LARGE BOMBAY SODAS. We continue to supply large bottles him. A fine of \$1 was imposed. as heretofore, free of Extra Charge, to them to the ordinary size.

COAST PORT ORDERS. whenever practicable, are despatched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order. FOR COAST PORTS, Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Empties when received in

Counterfoil Order Books supplied on each, with the alternative of a month's Our Registered Telegraphic Address is, DISPENSARY, HONGKONG And all signed messages addressed thus will receive prompt attention.

PURE AERATED WATER SODA WATER LEMONADE POTASH WATER SELTZER WATER LITHIA WATER

SARSAPARILLA WATER

The following is a List of Waters always

kept ready in Stock :-

TONIO WATER GINGER ALE GINGERADE. No Credit given for bottles that are dirty or greasy, or that appear to have been need for any other purpose than that of con-taining Aerated Waters, as such bottles are

never used again by us.

Coussiate, Kinking.

2291 Hongkong, China, and Manila. DEATH. At Kickiang, on the 3rd May, CHARLES Rows, for 12 years Constable of H.B.M.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Lan.

The publication of this issue commence at 7.15 p.m.

The Ohina Atail. BONGRONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 1891.

TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL! (Via Southern Line.)

PORTUGUESE CURRENCY ACT. LONDON, May 11. The Portuguese Government have decreed the coinage of silver to the value of

£500,000 Sterling.

and people took place.

(From Singapure Papers.) CONTINENTAL LABOUR MEETINGS London, 4th May .- The usual Mayday labour parades at the Continent passed off quietly, except in France and Helgigen.

11.10 a.m.) with 10 cents late fee up to native tire brigades rendered signal service had to purchase Americal flour in an 11.30 a. M., after which hour they may and kept the flames from spreading further. be sent on Board with the same Late. The crisis of the fire is supposed to be the English colony and ship it bu board a Ger-

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SURE CANAL OUTWARD BOUND: - Palarned, Bawley, April 10; Benvenue, Hesperia, Patrochus, 21; Pakling, Stornald, 24; Zanziber, 28; Oxus, Palinurus, Thorndale, May 1. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Antonio, April 10 Asloun, 14 Jason, Mascotte, 17 Pembrokeshire, Rosetta Remains 21 Menciaus, Tever, 24 Talenachus, Daphne, Voloniet, Balarie, May

The Norddentscher Lloyd S. S. Compa-ny's steamship Studigars, with the Chin-man Mart of 14th April, left Singspore on Saturday, the Bill May, at 8 p.m., and may be expected here or or about Thursday, the 14th May. The O. & O. Co.'s s. S. Gaelic, with the AMERICAN MAIL of April 25th, left Yokohama on Wednesday, May 18th.

and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 19th May. The Canadian Pacific s.s. Empress of Lapan was at Port Said on April 24, and may be expected here on or about \$23. The Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of India left Vancouver for Japan de

on the 9th May. The Austro-Hung, L. S. N. Co. steamship Thiste, from Trieste, left Singapore for this port on May 8th, and may be expected here on or about the 14th May.
The Union Line a. s. Explicates lets Sings. pore on May Sth, and may be expected here on or about May 14 The E. & A. S. S. Co. . . Meaning left Port Darwin on May 5th and may be expected here on or about May 15. The a.s. Morey left Singapore for this port on May 11, and may be expected here on or about May 17. The U. S. S. Co.'s steamship Lagertes left Singapore on May 11th, and may be expected here on or about May 17th. The China Shippers Mutual B. N. Co.? and Liverpool, passed the Canal May

12th, due at Penang about 28th May.

As will be seen from an advertisement, Mrs Potter and Mr Kyrie Bollow will give a performance at the Theatre Royal on Saturday evening, and another on Wednesday next, THE Oxes with the French mail of 17th April leaves Singapore on Thursday, the 14th at 5 s.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 20th inst. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on 11th March. Two men were convicted by Mr Wise today of keeping a common gaming-house at Gilman's Bazaar. The den was visited last night by Inspector Mann and a party of police. Each defendant was sined \$50, with

H. NETHERSOLE, QUETTY Bay, was sum

charge of assaulting his boy, Wong Fuk.

black eye. The defendant said the complainant stole his shoes and he hammered those of our Customers who, prefer to have Two men were brought before Mr. Wise at the Police Court to-day, charged with being in unlawful possession of two watches, sixteen chains and aixty-two pieces of cosp, in all of the value of \$16 stolen from the scene of the last are in Queen's Road Contral. The defendants were found trying to pawn the goods. They were fined \$20

> THE N.-C. Daily News says that the Mike. do was to honour the Cearswitch by most ing him at Kioto, instead of waiting for him to go to Tokio. Whether the Mikado had that intention or not, we do not know, but he had not left the capital when the attack was made on the Czarswitch by a Japanese at Otau near Kioto, On learning the news, however, he left immediately for Otan, The wound inflicted on the Course witch is on the fece.

FOLLOWING out their policy of pretect

tionism a cutrumes, the semi-despotts republican government of France decreed that contracts for the supply of the French troops in Tonkin should be made only in France. But, thanks to the protection so liberally bestowed on Home merchante; it is often very difficult to obtain cheap provisions in France. The military authorities found that French flour cost for too much. They must have a chesp article; so they amuggled a small cargo of American where of inferior quality into Massoilles, got it manufactured into flour, which was labelled French floor and forwarded to Tonkin, where of course it entered duty free. In spite of ingenious tricks of this sort, it often happens that the garrison in Tonkin rose. short of the wherewithst to make broad Quite recently the stock of French, or rather Franco-American, flour having been nearly exhausted, the authorities in Tonkin wrote the merchants in Haiphong to accertain at what price they could supply as once 500 tons (unfrenchified) American four. Such a quantity of course was not to be fated in Haiphong and the merchants there telegraphed to Hongkong. Ther were informed that a stock of 1,000 tous was available here and they obtained quotations. The quotations were submitted to the authorities, who replied that they did not intend to purchase in Haiphong. The Tonkin merchants were non-plussed, and when they heard that the authorities had afterwards turned the Brench Constil is where serious conflicts between the troops Houghoog into a commission agent and had purphased the flour here through him. however be posted up to 10 o'clock A LARGE fire broke out at 8 p.m. on the they became very indignant and lodged a if they are tied in bundles, country 7th inst, at Shau Mau Tai, near Chinking, strongly worded protest. The French are by country, with the addresses all at some reed yards, wherein was stacked discovering that it is not an easy matter in fuel. A strong wind was blowing at the an age of rapid communication to rails a 10.30 a.m.—Posting of Newspapers, time and the fire spread with great wall of China around their country. Their Books, and Patterns ceases.

Papidity, and caught a glue factory, which protectionism lands them often in a quest.

11.00 a.m.—Mail closes.

was burnt out also, as well as a Lakin Tax protectionism lands them often in a quest. LATE LETTERS may be posted (from Office and over twenty tenements. The fix. In the case we have mentioned they

man steamer for a French port.

WE hear that a typhoon was encountered THE wreck of the Holme Eden was sold at one of which I found the watch and the deed itself, but for the purpose of show way which other companies adopt and issuing the famous placard last year, inciting pastures into howling deserts. Even the and Hongkong, which lasted for five hours. The steamer arrived here this evening. The Amoy Times says :- The mysterious The Don Juan and another steamer are also said to have met with the typhoon.

An Imperial Decree was published on the mosa in the recent seizure of their servant all been identified as watches taken from Bah lasts permitting H.E. Liu Ming-chuan and merchandise by the Chinese likin offi- the case which had been broken open. to retire from his post of Gov. mor of For- ciale at Taiwanfoo. The seizure was made moss, and from his office as Assistant Di- in March last, and the case was reported by

By a strange coincidence, the cargo on American interests in Taiwanfoo, to the conboard the Holme Eden when the was lost sul of the United States, Amoy. The latter was the identical stuff the P. & O. steamer telegraphed to the Governor demanding Hongkong was going home to ship when she the immediate release of the man and prowas lost - Shanghai Mescury

It is stated that the Czarevitch has ex- United States. The usual vexatious and pressed himself as immensely delighted inextunable delay in such cases followed, with his reception at Hankow, which, as and finally the Consul next called on the in only natural, pleased him more than any Governor in person at Tamsui, repeating, other since he started on his travels.

A TRINGRAM has been received from Hankow matting that this year's ten season has ate release of the man and goods. After a opened a little ea lier than in previous month's delay it was subsequently learned years; besides the quantity being less, the that neither the prisoner nor the property quality is superior, and that it is only the had been released. It is strongly suspected Russians that are buying.

credited with the following excellent flower Taiwanfoo, was to urge the Taotai to of speech :- There is a little cloud appear- comply with the Coraul's demand. ing on the horizon, which both parties are What the result is cannot at this time playing with as a toy; yet in that toy is a | and distance be learned. stinging power which will before long scoroh both parties. That is the labour question and in it is the stinging germ."

review of the Pai-yang, Nan-yang and China (Limited), with a capital of that in the opinion of the Committee the the decision had been given, Mr Mansfield Canton Naval Squadrons is to be held £1,000,000, in 09,025 ordinary shares of matters referred to are not such as they towards the end of the month in the \$10 cach and 750 founders shares of £1 are competent to deal with or discuss. It presence of H. E. Li Hung-chang and a ordinary shares issued at a premium of 10s, the objects of the Association to dictate wards to go on a prolonged cruise along the already applied for in China. The Trus- tickets. These objectionable practices if Korean coast as far as Grenan - Shanghai

Ir is understood that the celebrated Scotch racing yacht Thistle which was recently sold by Mr James Bell, of Glasgow, to Haron von Senden, was purchased on belialf of the Emperor of Germany. It is stated that his Majesty intends to race the cutter in the English Channel in the Royal; Squadron matches, and for some of the Queen's Cups in other regattas.

have sent their pickers to the mountains to their business by modern methods. It gather the bitter leaves. The tea trade of will not in any way be inimical to existing the whole year depends upon this single foreign undertakings, as it will principally expedition, and much anxiety concerning work through native channels of trade, it is felt by persons who invest all they Telegrams have been received announcing have in this business. A telegram from that the issue of £300,000 has been largely Hankow gives some idea as to how the tea over-applied for in China, and that of the market is going. The weather is un allotments made in Houghong 823 certain; it rains and shines alternately. | cant. have been made to Chinese. The season seems yet too early, the leaves founders' shares are reported at \$1,000 being tender and very juicy. Not a great each, buyors.(1) It is intended that the quantity of tex has been forthcoming. premium of his per share at which the The market opens with a small stock. The ordinary shares are issued shall form the cost of whatever tes there is, is great, and | nucleus of the reserve fund, after paying the selling price is extremely high. Over | the incidental preliminary expenses. 20 chops have been disposed of, the buyers being mostly Russian and a few Hughish. Some time in March, says our correspon-The An-hua is selling from Tla. 55 to 60 per picul, Yung fong 71 at Tls. A band of countrymen, one hundred and 24.75 per picul, Nich-sz 775 at Tls. 33.50 per picul Pah kong Tie, over to the District Magistrate. All these I ability of the defendant Yn Chan as 37-to 40 per picul, and Kiu-ning 九 號

THE Caylon Independent, in commenting on their neighbours for inaction are they who and taking the field against them. A hand, ments of title relating to certain land Shanghai, Mr C. Vincent Smith presiding, most acquiring avoid committing them; to-hand fight ensued; when the robbers and house property as security for The report which was submitted contains which makes the inconsistency of the Colombo public men the more culpable.

from Tle 60 to 74 per picul:-Shenpao.

Some days ago the Shen Pao in an editorial carned dollars, a daring performance took liability of the defendant limited to \$35,000 leaving the Reserve. Fund, at about advised the officiels, that it would be advi- place in broad daylight. A band of robbers by the terms of the agreement i-second, 8455,131.46. mable to abolish the likes tax offices, as took possession of a resting place on the if not, was the agreement of such a A dividend of \$6.00 a share was paid to those officer were created in time of war, main highway. They divided up into four doubtful character that the Court, shareholders on the 12th March, 1830. anch as the Taping Rebellion, and were un parties. Two parties took up their position in order to collect from it the derstood then to be for defraying war expen- at the two entrances, so, when the unsus- intention of the parties, would look at the speech, quoted several reports of Insurance ses; but now that the country is peaceful, pecting passengers entered, they quietly circumstances under which it was made, offices with regard to business in 1859 and why should the tikin offices still continue to unhered them into a side place, where the in order to give effect to that intention ?- 1890, and went on to say :flourish, and some of the officers got fat third party received them. They were now third, was their any conduct on the part of All this shows that 1850 and 1890 were from their morative positions, while the relieved of their dollars and valuables and the plaintiffs which rendered them unable poor bebourers and traders suffer for their then run into a shed where they remained to recover more than \$35,000? With reinvolves the carrying of merchandise from with drawn swords. This thing was carried admitted that the liability was not, in to a sound basis, and nearly all seem to be one place to specific on which they stave on till over fifty prisoners had been collect many words, limited, but he contended that it is not, but what is hopeto pay an extra tax; may be more than one ed. Some three or four thousand dollars on the construction of this document the ful is that all seem agreed that there is a tax, after they had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had first paid the Imperial had already been secured, as a box of treatile by had already been secured. Maritime Customs tax or duty! Of course sure and some other good 'finds' had been The only mention of the amount of securi- tive action and a joint effort to subance boat for Peking; it is stated that Mr H. if these liken tax offices are done away with made. The chief now decided that oper- ty to be found in the agreement was rates, which would not require to be very Mandl is awaiting his arrival at Tungchow. engaged in London to go to Paris as a it will create a great void in the Govern. ations should cease, so, on the signal being in the concluding paragraph, which ment revenue, and in order to remedy this given, they took their flight, leaving their. he submitted was very strong evidence doubtful to a paying basis. Looking at the filed with His Ex. Li Hung-chang their ten: was introduced to an elderly man who the paper suggests to tax liquor and opium terrified prisoners to come to themselves that the security was to be 835,000. That reports of other Companies, we find several der, with terms and conditions, on behalf made improper proposals to her. very heavily for it. According to reports and comfort one another as best they could. was the construction that would be put up in the same position as duraelves and in of their friends in Vienna, in regard to the Her name was given as Wilson in court. from Foreign countries liquors are heavily All-got off scott free. This affair heapened on the document by anybody looking at it some cases much worse. The net premis big loan of thirty million Taels, to build In the evidence he was described as a taxed, but still the people buy and use somewhere in the same region as the one from a common-sense point of view. It carned, \$489,067.36, is tairly good, and the proposed railway, and it was reported banker. the heavy tax so China neight fake an example and tax both liquor and opium EXTENSIVE THEFT OF WATCHES hartful to the people.

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tributed to the alleged outrages perpetrated on foreign (American) murchants in Forredor of the Board of Admiralty, Peking. H. B. M.'s Consul Pelham Warren, who is also the U. S. Consular Agent in charge of perty seized in violation of Treaty rights, and an apology to the government of the and it is said with emphasis, his former demand. Orders were issued forthwith by wire to the Taotai at Taiwanfoo fer the immedithat the object of the trip last week of the U. S. gunboat Palos, with Consul Bedloe A rountest working-man in the North is on board, to the scene of trouble in

WE learn on good authority that a grand spectus is issued of the National Bank of founders' shares receive no dividend until perionce shows they cannot rely. the ordinary shares receive 8 per cent. for the year, and a provision has been made for seserve fund, when they are entitled to half the surplus profits. The bank has been formed at the instance of the leading native Chinese merchants of Hongkong, and the principal Treaty Ports of Chipa, to meet the deminds of the Chinese mercautile communities of these places for an institution of their own which will afford THE spring rains are over and ten dealers them the needful facilities for conducting

> dent, an unusual sight was witnessed in Ninghai, a city in the Tei-chen prefecture. fifty strong, marched into the city, with eight robbers in charge and handed them notice. So, it seems that a band of robbers,

ON THE GLENGARRY.

At the Police Court to-day, before Mr Wise, Lewis Reordan, quartermaster, a.s. Glangarry, and Lo Acho, stevedors, were charged with breaking open a packing care in the hold of the a.s. Glengarry and stealing therefrom 61 watches, of the value of

Robert Hudson, chief officer of the

lendant their admitted having taken it.

The Amoy Times says:—The mysterious A Chirces constable said he saw the movement of the British, American and second defendant taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. The continual taking a watch to a pawn-document was perfectly clear. T The case was remanded till to-morrow.

> FALSE PACKING OF BOMBAY YARN.

Mr H. M. Mehta has forwarded to us the following reply which he received from the Bombay Millowners' Association to the communication recently addressed by him to that bodylwith regard to the false packing of Bombay yarn. Mr Mehta adds 'The reply is not what it should be, and some further representation later on contemplated ':-

The Millowners Ambelsiton. Bombay, 14th April, 1891 H. M. Mehta, Esq.

Hongkong. Dear Sir, -I have submitted to the Coinmittee of the Association your letter of 4th March, enclosing a representation dated

In reply I am desired to inform you each. The first issue comprises 49,925 would be quite beyond their province or each, and 750 founders', of which 29,955 to members what qualities of yarn they ordinary and 450 founders' have been shall spin or pack under their respective tees Executors and Securities Insurance such exist can only be met by your im-Corporation offer the remaining 19.970 porters and buyers abstaining from dealing ordinary shares for subscription here. The in yards on the quality of which their ex-

I am, Dear Sir, yours faithfully, JOHN MARSHALL Secretary.

SUPREME COURT. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION (Before Sir James Russell, Chief Justice.) Wednesday, May 13.

SASSOON AND ANOTHER O. YU CHAU-QUESTION AS TO A SURET. S LIABILITY. In this case the Court was asked to decide certain issues with respect to the liability of the defendant as surety for a compradore in the employ of Messrs M. Sassoon and Co., the compradore having absconded. Mr Francis, Q.C., instructed Mesers Wotton & Descon, appeared for the plaintiffs, and Mr Leach, instructed by Alesers Johnson, Stokes and Master, was

for the defendant. Mr Leach opened on behalf of defendant. He said this was a suit for the purpose of enforcing an agreement made between Yu Chau, Lo On and the plaintiffe, Mesers M. S. Sassoon and Co., the agreement being one securing Lo On as compradors to the plaintiffs. The case came before his Lordship in the form of issues. The first was Was the countrymen were armed-some fifty of nurety for Lo On limited to the si them had rides According to report every of \$35,000, hither under the agreement, district along the coast in that region has which was dated 17th March 1888 a kind of self-defence' society. Arms or by any conduct of the plaintiffs' making and autmunition are always kept in store it inequitable for them to claim a larger the Military Contribution Question at it ready for immediate use, while its members | sum? The second issue was - Was the regards Hongkong, holds that the public are pledged to fly to arms, at the shortest defendant liable to the plaintiff under this agreement to the full value of the securbers failed to adequately and declaively seventy strong, infested the district about a lities enumerated in the agreement if these support their inofficial legislative represent hundred it (ninety-three miles) south of the lurned out to be of greater value than tailves, and complains that the same trought of Ninghai, At last, things were 35,000? Under the agreement, the plain ble exists in Colombo. It is urged the brought to a crisis by the members of the tiffs took Lo On into their service Association was held on the 7th inet. at the very men who were readiest to reprosed society in that district being called to arms on the defendant depositing the muni- offices of the agents, Messis Russell & Co. selves publicly. This state of things, the were put to flight, and eight of their number the due performance of Lo On's duties the following paragraphs:-Independent asserts, prevents any political captured and taken into the city as above and those of other Chinese employees association being successful or any union | mentioned. Three of these were beheaded under his control. The concluding par- ances, amount to \$489,667,36. effective. It is pointed out that Ceylon and the remaining five set free. The agraph of the agreement set forth that has been assisted in the matter by five friends of the latter came to their rescue, in the event of any of the property in viz., \$47,212,58, has been transferred to Ex-Governors who have memorialis d the They declared that they were not robbers question being sold by the first mortgagee, Reserve Fund. Home Government on the matter, a fact and that they were caught by mistake !! such additional security must be given by | \$559.11 .01 represent the balance of About a year ago, just before the Chinese | the defendant as would bring the value of Reserve Fund on 16th April, 1891, New Year, when large numbers of country. the security up to \$35,000. Mr Leach men were returning for the holidays, from went on to say that the first issue divided account 1889/90 and former years will ab Ningpo and elsewhere, with their hard, itself into three parts-first, was the sorb about \$103,980.55 of this amount, pleasure, by baving to do business which prisoners—the jourth party acting as guard, ference to the first point he (Mr Leach) makes it questionable if the business in on was impossible to infer from it that a man could be largely increased at any time if we here that they had secured the loan, but shortly afterward returned to her family s merchant's business, whose liabilities ever, we do not care to do at present, but both Chinese and Foreigners, declare it in London, to whom she gave the linfor. On Londonmight be gigantic, would enter into an I mention it to show the business it open to in, and that Mr Haas is on his way to mation. agreement under which his liabilities would us should we want it. Our losses have Peking to settle it finally. There is no It happened that the procure a was enbe unlimited. It was equally impossible to been on proper risks, and after careful ex- doubt that Messrs Mandl & Co. did tender | ticed back to England, arrested and is now infer that the security was intended to be amination of them, we cannot place any for the lean through their Chinese friends serving a centence of eighteen, months' whatever the property might fetch in the blame on our underwriters or agents.

To recapitulate, the report before you is cessful in regard to pushing forward the to be the principal in this nefacious trans-

shop. He took him to the station and cluding paragraph was a separate and disfound other watches on him. In his um. I that o venant providing for a contingency meeting will be held immediately after. Mr Ma Kle-tchong is still here and daily track, brella were found 23 watches. They had which had not jarigen, and it was not up- this general one, when all matters can visits His Ex. Li Hung-chang. His visits. The Bedouins who brought the most repaid the money into Court, the plaintiffs would hand over the title deeds to him.

> liability for \$75,000. Mr Leach Certainly, my Lord. After some consultation between council and their clients this mode of settlement; the large dividends and returns to contribuwas adopted, the defendant asking for a tors paid extending over a period of more delay of three weeks in order to arrange than 20 years. the matter.

His Lordship said the case would sland adjourned for that period.

EXCITING SCENE AT THE SHANGHAI FOLICE COURT. An unusual and exciting sequel to a case occurred at the Pritish Consulate on the morning of the 8th inst. Right soumen 31st December last respecting an agreement belonging to the British ship John & clevel entered into by the leading yarn importing were charged by the captain before Mr frms in your Colony and also desiring that Montfield, Acting Assistant Judge, this Association shall take into considera- with refusal of duty, which they admitt. Pakling is double that of former years; tion an alleged system of packing inferior ed; and as they all refused to return and it is doubtful whether it will benefit HERB is what the Loudon and China Ex- yarns under tickets which previously re- to the ship, his Worship ordered them the tea growers or the tea hongs, and to be imprisoned until the ship sailed. when they were to be put on board. When and Capt. Stuart left the court by one door and the eight men, under the charge of the assistant garder, by another. The mon were unfortunately led into the main corridor just behind Mr Mansfield and the captain. This opportunity for revenge was too good to be lost; the men made a rush at the captain, forced bim into an angle of the wall and began to belabour bim with their fists. The captain, a tall, powerful man, soon shook himself tree, and, dashing into the shipping office, close by, returned with a thick stick with which he administered a couple of heavy blows before some of the Consular staff, aroused by the disturbance, separated him from his assallants. In the meantime three or four of these had run down a si'e passage with a view of escaping, and were met by the Crown Advocate, Mr H. S. Wilkinson, who tried to stop them. He, however, was unceremoniously knocked down, sustaining two or three bad bruises, and the ruffians made their escape. The others (except one, who was secured by the assistant gaoler) ran out by another door and got away. Warrants were immediately issued for their arrest. With the exception of

some bruises, and injury to his clothes. the captain was none the worse for the scuffle. Most of the men bad knives in their possession and one of them was flourishing a knife just before making his escape, but no such weapons were used in the struggle. It certainly speaks well for the British authorities' faith in human nature that they should have expected eight discontented merchant sailors to walk to gool like so many sheep to the slaughter.

There was not a policeman in the building. The warrants issued for the arrest of the sailors were executed by Inspector Keeling and three police officers at 1:15 p.m. Four of the men were found sitting down outside the Cleveland public house, while two others were drinking inside. The seventh man was captured elsewhere. All went quietly to the Hongkew Station and were locked up in the cells. They frequently declared that they would not go back to the ship. -N. C. Daily Neace.

THE YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, IMITED

The net premia earned, less re-insur

The balance of the underwriting account

the Directors consider that pending Claims

The Chairman, in the course of his exceptionally bad years and also that com-

petition has reduced rates to a point that

or sum than \$35,000, although that one for 15 months working, and the worst bronze-steel guns and smokeless powder, action. seemed to be the contention of the plain- months in Insurance annals ever known; and at Peking they have His Ex. von tiffs. In fact the plaintiffs contended by during that time a dividend of \$6 per Brandf at their backs, who is one of the mint body and deeply interested in the their petition that the defendant's liability share has been paid, costing, say, \$41,088, best officials in Peking for mercantile pur. young men's and young women's Christian On Berlinwas unlimited, and in one of their alter- and against this we have to face a loss from poses. I enclose you a copy of a sketch associations and other religious bodies.

agreement itself in order to arrive at the in- reports. I find a return bonut of 15 per big hank, accompanied by his wife, has left foring. The calendry with which Algeria, so the state of the second ges of Singapore as he 12th met, and searched the crew. The which might mean either what was con- years so that the amount would be \$89,000 rary graduate, was beheaded. He with tion of countries traversed by these intinds it was appears to prefer Hong. first desputant and three others were taken tended for the plaintiffs or what was con- to \$72,000. It is unfortunite for at the best hanger-on at the sects is even worse and more complete kong as the most pleturesque and in every to their quarters. The first defendant said tended for the defendant, and in order to the account appears use they were arrested ten that could be accomplished by a conquerway the most desirable town of residence in the watches had been stolen in London elected this clause he wished to be allow had not paid 15 per cent, bonus hot were days ago, and tried and sentenced by a log same, or in fact by any human the last least on it going to pay it now it would be added to Military Court. They were charged with agency.

plicable at all in the present circumstances. be freely discu-sed, and in conclusion I are said to be in connection with the cent information of their imminent peril Some standard had to be fixed as to may state on behalf of the Secretaries and Chefoo Gold Mines. Mr. Watson, after declare that they rode for a distance of what Yu Chan would have to pay in your Directors that they have the liveliest seeing the Vicercy, left by the Fungshun more than sixty miles through swarms of the event of some of the property being interest, in the welfare of the Association for Chefoo to see what can be done with locusts so dense as to obscure the light of sold, and \$35,000 was mentioned as the and the former are quite willing to make the Ping-tu Gold Mines, started by Mr day. The official reports of the French mitted his liability for that amount and rate sum they receive, till such time as the Association pays fair dividends, and the arrangements about the three new steamers | miles in width and nearly a thousand feet His Lordship said that seemed to settle sithin their power to support them; and Co.'s fleet. the matter, as the defendant admitted his ar in mind the value of the business and

control of the Association, built up by earnest work and endeavour, the reard of which is so good, as shown by

FOOCHOW NOTES.

(Foechow Echo, 9th May:) Considerable shipments of rice have just arrived by junks from the north, and prices are very low at present,

The pening prices in Hankow are we understand from fifty to hundred por cent dearer than last season! Ningchow Tls. 85 and Oanfa Tis. 63. It is reported that the price of ten in

Foreign buyers will do well to judge the ou lity which is reported to be of good

By the end of next week, we understand, a considerable amount of new tea will be down. A lot would have been placed on the market this week had it not been for the bad weather we have had for

TIENTSIN. (From the N.-C. Daily News' Corre-

29th April. We learn that eight of the men who left Tongshan in a panic have been discharged, but nothing has been done with the Cantonese who were the cause of all the trouble. They certainly should have been dealt with for their assault, whatever was done with the runaway foreigners. It is said that the former were simply allowed to retire from the place, in order doubtless to avoid the

responsibility of dealing with them. The ache me for improving the river has apparently fallen to the ground through the opposition of the Taotai. Only another illustration of how things are not done among the Celestials! If they would even keep the river channel free from obstruction from junks, it would be something in the interest of the growing trade connected with so important a place as Tientein. A large fire is said to have occurred in

the great street outside of the north gate last night, but no particulars are to hand. Every few years some part of this street suffers in this way. The French Municipality is still egitat-

ng its waterworks' scheme. Whether the British Municipality, burdened with a white elephant, will be able to join and make the scheme a success, is uncertain. It hardly seems possible for the smaller body alone to carry it through. It is great. ly to be hoped that the scheme our be carried through to completion in some way. After a succession of cloudy, damp days, we are now having dry bot, winds wood

ther. Vegetation is coming forward onite rapidly. The water on the plain is gradual. ly receding, mainly from evaporation. It result of her painful experience, Madame gua are covered with dead bodies. It fails was not as high by several inches as in the flood of 1870, and if anything is receding from the effects of a severe cold. more slowly. Where it was possible to plant wheat last autumn, there is promise where the police recently came into col- refugees who arrived on the last steamer The first ordinary general meeting of this of a good yield. So of the spring-sown wheat. But there are large tracts of land vet under water.

appearance during the whole shipping season, as it is used as a transit godown for the whole import trade; but at present all crowd. The military having their bayoother merchandise is overshadowed by the immense stacks of rice which are piled un along its whole length and breadth, and high as a house. The wholesale destruction at the police. of the cereal crops by the floods last sammer has left a large vacuum to be filled up TELEGRAMS BY THE AMERI by imported grain, and such is the scarcity of the northern grains that fee which is in ordinary times a luxury berond the means of the people is now cheaper than their own

paper has vindicated the Chinese action in against morality. the matter of the audience; and for the

(From Shanghai Mercury Correspondent.) Tientein, 28th April, 1891.

Yesterday Mr Joseph von Hass, the Aus-He was a shining light in the nonconfor-

the opposition of visiting the son. I searched his box and picked up not for the purpose of contradicting or promis, which would then be \$559,000 being members of a secret society, of which. They transform the districts over which the pair of socks in Court inside of subtracting from or varying anything in instead of \$489,000. That was the old I hang was said to be the chief, and for they past from fertile fields and luxuriant

Shanghai for Tis. 1.75). The cargo was case produced, which has been identified as ing what was the actual intention of the which we did; the bonus was deducted people to rise and kill all the Foreigners, towns and villageaure depopulated by the adafterwards, and that would bring our per- and then march to Peking. Ten days ago vance of those all-ravaging invaders, which Mr Francis objected to parole evidence. centage of charges best8.70. Unless any he tried on the same game, by sending to the Arab describes as the scourge of

LATE TELEGRAMS.

District. Major-General Baker Russell Aldershot by Major-General Henry Ewart. Colonel Mac Donnell retires from the and will be succeeded by Colonel Stroatfield. visitation will be one of the most appalling It is understood that Colonel Tuck, the District Paymaster of the Straits Settlements, will be selected to fill the post of Chief-Paymaster at Aldershot vacated by Colonel Streatfield.

Gazette of Saturday evening publishes on Russie, and further withdrawals are exarticle criticising the composition of the pected, Labour Commission. The paper condemns the Government for having omitted to appoint upon the Commission some representative colonial members, and suggests the ad- bund, held that a renowal of the triple aldition of the celebrated military engineer, Sir Andrew Clark, who has occupied saveral important positions in the colonies, amongst England. On many occasions, said the them being the Governorship of the Straits Premier, the policy of the Dreibund har-Settlements. He was also Surveyor-General and Commissioner of Crown Lands in Vic. Lord Salisbury for special reasons had toria, and member of the Legislative Assem- never adhered to the Dreibund treaty. bly of that colony for a Metropolitan con- Italy's renewal of her contract with the

The great financial firm of the Roths. in Europe, which was now changing every childs have agreed to float a loan of twenty day. It was difficult to imagine that millions for the Russian Government. Reports have been received of the dis- while war was being waged by Russia and covery of diamonds in British Guiana, France against Germany and Austria, even where gold mining has been carried on if the Dreibund did not exist. successfully for years. The find is said to

be surprisingly rich. France is mobilising troops on the German aggression while the Dreibund continued frontier. The news has caused a down- to not as the safeguard of Europe. In view ward tendency on the Bourses.

is the most magnificent liner plying be. THE CHILEAN TROUBLES-TERRIBLE SCENES tween England and Australia. President Harrison and Mr Blaine, Secretary of State, have disagreed on the writes from lauique: What is occurring in question of reciprocal trade relations with this unfortunate port is something unheard Canada. The difference of opinion seems of, and it leads one to believe that no civito have led to an open rupture between lized beings live there. Passengers just the two, and Blaine is expected to contest arrived here state that vagabonds there are the Presidency at the next presidential plundering, murdering and committing all

Colony, Lord Salisbury relieving the of destruction and pillage. Diago of March Cape Government of the annual charge of 13th said: The Government of Chile has £20,000 in relation to the administration determined to establish an army 200,000 of the country. This is the outcome of strong at Tarapaca, and in it the corps will the recent visit to London of Sir Henry be massed which are now scattered. Loch and Mr Cecil Rhodes, Premier of the . The distress along the south coast due to

vocalist, had a narrow escape on Monday have soized the colliers Rogers and Killnight of being burnt by a fire which morie. The former is a German vessel and seized the home in which sae was residing the latter flies the British flag. This transin Paris. She only got away by using the action, it is said, took place at Quayest brigade ladder, making her descent in a and the British gunbost Warspite is now night dress and carrying away her jewels, hunting the insurgents. The Commercia of which she had hastily collected. As a Antologasta reports that the hills near Plas-Melba is confined to her room suffering to say whether the dead are insurgents or Rioting has taken place at Bradford,

lison with the mill hands on strike. The were so destitute that they had to remain renewed disturbances have arisen out of an on the wharf. The commandant at Iquique attempt at exorcising what is described by | was selling flour at 22 cents per pound. those making it as the right of holding Fighting between Government forces and The bund at Tzechulin presents a busy public meetings. The soldiers, who had rebels near Iquique resulted in a victory been instructed to keep themselves in for the latter. About 700 men in all were readiness, and the police, charged the killed.

> CAN MAIL. CALTAIN VERNEY'S ORIME.

London, April 13 .- A big sensation was caused in the House of Commons to-night His Excellency the Viceroy is immensely by the news that warrants had been issued pleased at the way in which the German against two members for gross offences

One of them is Captain Verney, a retime being Germany occupies the position tired naval . Heer belonging to one of the of the most meritorious of all the Western | oldest families in Buckinghamshire and a member of the London County Council. who is charged with having incited a woman to aid him to lead astray an innocent girl.

Early this year a French woman, who passed under the name of Mms. Florence, was tried and convicted at Old Bailey on the evidence of the young girl whom she

natives they claimed payment of \$60,000. our Reserve Fund of, say, \$44,858.54, so map of the Peking Western Hills where the He frequently preached sermons in Ex. On New York-Robert Hudson, chief officer of the If his Lordship would look at the do that roughly had no dividend been paid, rich coal and mineral mines are situated, ever Hall. Members of Parliament now the Reserve would be at \$500,000; t.s. our the same as furnished by the Chinese recall with surprise the fact that Captain Credits, 60 days eight; the same as furnished by the Chinese of Messre Mendl & Co. In this Verney was always a rampant and ag. On Bombay—

On Bomba If his Lordship would look at the do that roughly, had no divided been paid, rich coal and mineral mines are situated, ever Hall. Members of Parliament now On demand, ... that was to say, it was stamped \$35, have received no dividend for the fifteen matter also flis Ex. von Brandt is, I hear, greative advocate of purity, and that he

authorties in Algeria describe one of the Mr Ma Kie-tchong is busy here making awarms pear Herasuits as almost ten which are to be added to the C.M.S.N. in height, and as totally concealing a range of hills in the vicinity.

Another swarm equal in size is reported to have reached the Moorish city Marakish, whose fugitive inhabitants assert that London, 26th April.-Lieutenant-de- neither they nor their fathers have ever neral Drary Lowe has resigned his appoint- witnessed such desolation as is being ment as Inspector-General of cavalry, and caused by those insects. Twelvel years will be replaced by Major-General Keith bave elapsed since the North of Africa was Froser, now commanding the Dublin last visited by a scourge of this nature, and in view of the fact that the swarms regues to the Curragh and will be replaced at ported at Herasulta and Marakish are stated to constitute the mera advance guards of the winged army of invaders there teems Chief-Paymastership of the Home District, much ground for fear that the impending ever witnessed in the sorely stricken and unhappy land of Ham,

A DEMAND FOR GOLD IN BUSSIA. London, April 10 .- Two hundred thousand pounds of gold have been withdrawn London, 14th April The Pall Mall from the Bank of England for export to

STABILITY OF THE TRIPLE ALLIANCE. Rome, April 13.-Premier di Rudini, in an interview to-day in regard to the Dreiliance was of secondary importance as compared with a constant agreement with monized perfectly with British ideas, yet alliance depended on the general situation England and Italy would remain passive

Rudini declared that he was convinced that France, despite her excessive arma-Intelligence has been received that ments, would never alone wage a war of of the prevailing temper in France it was The Ophir, the new Orient liner, has perfectly idle to discuss the question of the been launched with great ceremony. She dissolution of the Dreibund.

ALONG THE COAST. . Panama, April 13,-A correspondent classes of atrocities, while incendiaries are Bechvapaland has been annexed to Cape also engaged in their neferious operations

the revolution is appalling. The insurgents. Madame Melba, the renowned Australia in order to supply their fleet with coal, adherents of Balmaceda.

A correspondent at Lima writes that 400

A Lima paper publishes a message from nets fixed wounded many of the mob and Iquique, received by the English Minister, arrested twenty others. A number of open saying the triumph of the rebels on March knives were thrown by the opposing force 7th was decisive and Balmaceda's troops were dispersed. Hundreds of people abandoned the nitrate works, and accompanied by their families, trudged across the desert to Iquique. The scene is of a nature which hardly finds an equal in the: history of war. Many died on the descriand their bones marked for many days the road to the now abandoned nitrate fac-

> The Chilean Ministers to Argentine and France have been declared traitors by President Balmaceds.

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